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Attention: Examiner Robert J. Popovics

Dear Sir:

Re: United States Patent Application No. 09/425,234

For: MAINTENANCE CLEANING FOR MEMBRANES

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As a submission in support of a Request for Continued examination fired herewith and in accordance with 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, and in recognition of the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 CFR 1.56, applicant hereby submits an Information Disclosure Statement including (1) form PTO/SB/08A, listing patents and other publications of which it is aware, and (2) a copy of each listed item.

This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is filed before the mailing of a first Office Action after the filing of a request for continued examination. Pursuant to §1.114, the Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the enclosed references and submit that no fee is required.

Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to our deposit account No. 02-2095.

Respectfully submitted.

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